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Transmitted herewith for filing is the patent application of

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FOR: RECOVERABLE BIOMETRIC IDENTITY SYSTEM AND METHOD

Enclosed are:

1. ☒ 40 pages of specification, claims, abstract  
2. ☒ 18 sheets of FORMAL drawing.  
3. ☐ \_\_\_ pages of newly executed Declaration & Power of Attorney (copy or original).  
4. ☒ Priority Claimed to Provisional Appln. No. 60/470,204, and Provisional App. No. 60/436,996 whose entire disclosures are incorporated herein by reference.  
5. ☐ Applicant claims Small Entity Status.  
6. ☐ Information Disclosure Statement, Form PTO-1449 and reference.  
7. ☐ Assignment Papers for (cover sheet, assignment & assignment fee).  
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10. ☒ Authorization under 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a)(3).  
11. ☐ Request and Certification Under 35 U.S.C. 122(b)(2)(B)(i)  
12. ☐ Other:

**CLAIMS AS FILED**

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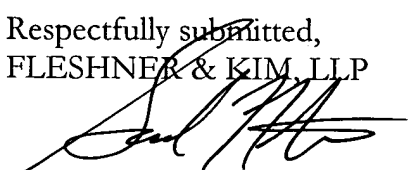
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